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SPRING WHICH ACCOMMODATES LONGITUDINAL
MOVEMENT THROUGH SHEAR DISPLACEMENT

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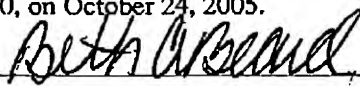
AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the advisory action mailed on October 12, 2005. Please amend the application in the following particulars.

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